

TENANT FINDING THE TIMES-DISPATCH

STEARNS REVIEWS WORK OF SCHOOLS FOR PAST YEAR

Notable Progress Made in Enrollment, Equipment and Efficiency.

CLAXTON FAVORS NATIONAL COMPULSORY SCHOOL LAW

United States Commissioner of Education Speaks to Virginia Education Conference.

BIG GATHERING OF TEACHERS

Educators to Meet in Many Groups To-day to Discuss Methods.

In his advocacy of a national compulsory school law, longer school terms and a permanency of position for the teacher, P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education, made a powerful impression last night at the gathering of teachers and educators for the annual convention of the Virginia Education Conference.

PLANS FOR THANKSGIVING

Drags to Stay in Washington—Daniel Will Come to Richmond.

STILL SHORTAGE OF SHIPS

Orders for Cotton Greatly Exceed Facilities for Carrying It.

TURKEY YET UNFORGIVEN

President Expects Further Reports on Smyrna Incident.

APPEAL BY RED CROSS

American College and School Pupils Urged to Aid in Alleviating Suffering.

AT LEAST EIGHTEEN DEAD IN WRECK OF THE HANALEI

Bodies Either Washed Ashore or Brought to Port by Revenue Cutter or Navy Tug.

VESSEL BREAKS TO PIECES

Forty-three Survivors Rescued, but Number of Missing Never Will Be Known—Small Steamer Goes Ashore During Dense Fog.

CARDINAL CAVALLARI DEAD

Recently Issued Episcopal Letter Condemning the Tango.

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FOREST FIRE SITUATION SHOWS LITTLE CHANGE

Reports From Arkansas Indicate That Damage Is Largely Confined to Timber.

LITTLE HOPE OF GENERAL RAIN

Farmers Loading Household Goods in Wagons and Removing to Points of Safety—River Traffic Endangered—Convicts in Peril.

SMALL FIRES REPORTED

At Harrison, small fires have been reported in the United States forest reserves of some 50,000 acres.

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VON HINDENBURG'S ARMY REPORTED IN RETREAT



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FORTUNES OF WAR NOT PERMANENTLY SETTLED IN EAST

Russians Inflict at Least Temporary Reverse on Germans.

BERLIN REPORTS ISSUE IS NOT YET DECIDED

Decisive Victory for Either Side Would Vitalize Course of Campaigns.

QUIET ON OTHER BATTLEFIELDS

Only Unusual Incident Is Bombardment of Zebruggo and Heyst by British Warships.

Uncertainty Exists on Situation in East

Official statements are contradictory. Petrograd claims the Germans are retreating. Berlin announces officially that the forces of Emperor William merely have halted in the face of unexpected hordes of Russian reinforcements, and are awaiting strengthening columns from the German front.

ARMIES IN TRENCHES ONLY 300 FEET APART

Unofficial reports from Russian sources declare the Russians have achieved a great victory, while like statements from the German side declare that the German official report. They add that fresh troops already are on their way from fortified positions along the Vistula to aid General von Hindenburg.

STONEMAN JACKSON INSTITUTE DESTROYED

Decision Is Outcome of Weeks of Agitation by Majority of the 1,100 Members.

TRADING WILL BE RESTRICTED

All Dealings Under Supervision of Special Committee of Five—Transactions Must Be for Cash, Precluding Speculation.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TO REOPEN ON SATURDAY

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